

## House Resolution No. 991

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in high esteem those Show-Me State high school athletic programs that truly embody the highest standards of sportsmanship, teamwork, training, and perseverance throughout the competitive season; and

**Whereas**, Lafayette High School in the Saint Joseph School District sponsors a basketball program whose varsity boys team earned the title of Class 4 District 16 Champions on February 22, 2008, by defeating Smithville by a score of 44 to 41; and

**Whereas**, ending the season with an 18-10 overall win-loss record, the Lafayette Fighting Irish boys basketball team consisted of Jake Davis, Jarrodd Page, Bryston Williams, Bryce McCrary, Craig Goodwin, Taylor Deayon, Cody Miller, Derrick Williams, Josh Davis, Chase Lehman, Gunner Sumy, and Dan Ritter; and

**Whereas**, the 2007-2008 Class 4 District 16 Champion Fighting Irish boys team was astutely guided by head coach Chris Neff and assistant coaches Daryl Williams, Randy Grosdider, and Steve Shores; and

**Whereas**, it is fitting and proper that the Missouri House of Representatives should pause in its diverse legislative actions in order to acknowledge milestone events in the histories of such outstanding Missouri high school basketball teams as the 2007-2008 Lafayette Fighting Irish Class 4 District 16 Champions:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the stellar season enjoyed by the Lafayette High School boys basketball team and to convey to all of those involved this legislative body's most heartfelt congratulations upon becoming the Class 4 District 16 Champions; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution in honor of the Lafayette High School boys basketball program.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Ed Wildberger  
District No. 27

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,  
Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session,  
do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House  
Resolution No. 991, adopted March 11, 2008.

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Rod Jetton, Speaker